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## FOUND DEAD IN HIS BED.

**John Conley, a Laborer, Dies Suddenly  
and the Cause of His Death Is a  
Mystery to Be Solved.**

John Conley, an employe of the Lima Locomotive & Machine Co., was found dead in his bed at the old French House this morning and the cause of his death is a mystery that remains to be determined later. He had been complaining recently of pains in his chest and last evening borrowed a dollar with which to purchase some medicine. He went to bed early last evening and his room mate left the room and went to his work this morning without knowing that there was a corpse in the room, the end evidently having come very quietly. The body was discovered later in the day and was removed to Eckert & Son's morgue, where Drs. Hiner and Burton began a post mortem examination at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

## CREDITORS WANT AULTMAN COMPANY

**Declared Bankrupt in Order That Claims of All  
May Be Protected. Same Process Asked  
for Artic Machine Company.**

Canton, O., Sept. 24.—Col. J. J. Sullivan, receiver for the Aultman Co., reached Canton Friday evening, and spent some time with those concerned in the affairs of the company Friday night, and early Saturday morning went to the company's office. He spent most of the day there, looking over the property and records of the concern and in conference with Mr. Lynch and others. Col. Sullivan was accompanied by E. A. Pfeiffer, of Akron, receiver of the Artic Machine Co., and Judge F. E. Goff, a prominent Cleveland attorney. A reporter Col. Sullivan said that he was unprepared to make any statement concerning the Aultman company. He said that in due course of time a schedule of the assets and liabilities would be prepared. Col. Sullivan said that the factory would continue in operation for the present at least.

## GOT Just What They Deserved And the Court Is Now Satisfied With the Verdict.

**A Little History Bearing on  
a Quartette of Boys  
Caught in Lima.**

**Their Own Town Is Well Rid of  
Them According to a Letter  
Received From the Captain  
of Police.**

In disposing of the four boys who were bound over to probate court after their arrest by the police on the charge of breaking a car seat, Judge Miller did the right thing in sending them to the reform school until they attain an age which will hold them responsible for their acts. Captain Stoll, of the Pennsylvania detective force, investigated the case and the information he received is proof that the boys are deserving of the sentence received. He wrote to the captain of police at Allegheny, Pa., where the young culprits hail from, and that officer has responded with a review of the recent past of the boys taken into custody. The sentence of the court was pronounced before the letter was received and Judge Miller is now satisfied that he did not deal too harshly when he ordered the quartette be kept at the reform farm until they become of age. The letter to Capt. Stoll contained the following information:

Allegheny, Pa., Aug. 28, 1904.  
Mr. Henry Stoll, Captain of Police, Ft. Wayne, Ind.  
Dear Sir:—Your letter of August 24th, making inquiry about the four boys from Salem, held for probate court at Lima, Ohio, will advise that I saw Al Carlisle, mayor of Salem,

and Chief of Police W. O. Turner. The Finney boys' mother and father are separated, the father is in Pittsburgh. The boy is vicious, has been up before the mayor.

The Haymaker boys are both bad, up before the mayor on August 15th for stealing copper. Have been in numerous scrapes, chicken stealing, etc., staying away from home at nights. One of these boys, the oldest has been in reform school. The chief showed me a dagger taken from him while threatening the life of a playmate. The father has served time in Ohio penitentiary for the crime of incest with a daughter.

Peter Thitman had been about Salem for a week on the bum. Told while here that he was from Pittsburgh, bummed his way to Chicago and St. Louis fair, and back to Salem, where he got in with these boys.

The mayor and chief both state that it would be good for Salem if all were sent to the reform school, also a good thing for the parents. The coins found on them, the chief found seven on the Haymaker boy on August 15th. It is not known where they came from. It was published in Salem papers about finding the coins by you, also the chief, but no one has come forward to lay claim to having lost any.

Yours respectfully,  
W. L. LANCASTER,  
Captain of Police.

**WILL BE FIRM**  
Says Judge Miller in Dealing With  
Young Criminals.

Judge Miller stated today that he is determined to break up the nest of bad boys that exists in Lima, and will deal with them as their offenses merit. He has ten cases of stealing and petty crimes awaiting investigation, not including the number of complaints of truancy which have already come to his notice since the opening of school. He will have most of the cases up for investigation Monday and the boys who have been caught red handed in acts of a criminal nature may expect to get their just deserts. "Parents," concluded the Judge, "may as well take notice that if they are not able to keep their sons under control, and see that they are in school, the court will conclude that the law shall take its course, and they will be sent to an institution founded for the purpose of correcting vicious and unruly boys."

## HUNGARY COMING.

Frankfort-on-the-Maine, Sept. 24.—It is reported on good authority that the shipping conference today decided on a \$10 reduction in the steerage rates from Hungary to the United States.

## ANNEX PRISONERS TO ATTEND THE CHAPEL.

Columbus, O., Sept. 24.—Hereafter all annex prisoners at the penitentiary who so desire, may attend services in the chapel, but under heavy guard. The concession was recently made to the priest who administers to the Catholic annex inmates, and now the same privilege has been allowed the protestants, through the efforts of Chaplain Starr.

## RADICAL

**Changes Made in the  
Conference**

**Of United Brethren Church  
at This Session.**

**Lima Has Been Placed in What  
Will Be Hereafter Known as  
the Lima District of  
U. B. Church.**

Bowling Green, O., Sept. 24.—A radical change in the arrangement of the Sandusky conference of the United Brethren church was made at the conference sessions, by which this division, one of the largest in the state and which embraces 23 counties in the northwest quarter of Ohio and has a constituency of 20,000, is reduced one-half. Hereafter the conference has always been divided into four districts, that of the Lima, Toledo, Fostoria and Marion. Now the conference is composed of two districts which will be known as Lima and Toledo. Pastors from the northern part of the conference will be under the supervision of the Toledo district and those in the southern part under the supervision of the Lima district. It is said that to do away with extra expense this change was made and the betterment of conditions all around is expected.

Rev. W. O. Fries, formerly in charge of the Toledo district, was made one of the two presiding elders and Rev. W. Z. Roberts, formerly of the Marion district, is the other. The elders have not been assigned to their respective districts, as yet, but there is some talk of Rev. Fries being placed in charge of the Lima district and Rev. Roberts sent to Lima. The presiding elder in the Lima district will undoubtedly make his headquarters in Lima. Rev. H. Doty and Dr. J. W. Lilly, who have been in charge of the Fostoria and Lima districts respectively, failed to secure the necessary number of ballots to cause them to remain as elders and after but two subdivisions were decided upon, they lost their places on account of the change. The committees on boundaries reported in favor of four districts, but pastors and laymen knocked out that part of the report and secured the two.

A. C. Siddall, of Bowling Green, is recording secretary of the conference and F. P. Rossett, of Toledo, statistical secretary. Reports show there has been a substantial gain in membership, church property is being accumulated, church indebtedness is being paid off and in every way the congregations are in a healthy condition.

An unfortunate, yet amusing incident happened when Bishop Kephart, who presides over the session, called for the report of Brother A. Gleason. Here the only woman in the conference rose to her feet. She is pastor of the Ottawa church and has been reasonably successful and the people there have fully appreciated her efforts. A circuit will be made of that charge this year, it is indicated, and a male minister will be given the place. Miss Gleason will be sent to another charge. Many of the lay delegates have secured the assurance of the bishop and presiding elders that their pastor would be returned or they would be given the man wanted and have gone home. The appointments will be read at the Sunday morning service. It is not believed there will be a change made in Lima, but that Rev. A. E. Davis will be returned.

On last evening Dr. Otterbein F. Laughbaum, of Columbus Grove, addressed the conference. Sunday the pulpits of the various protestant churches will be filled by eloquent divines of the conferences, who are here in attendance. Sunday will be a big day. Bishop Kephart will deliver the sermon and the conference will be over, Monday morning.

## ALL

**Quiet Along Entire  
Front.**

## Dispatch From

**Mukden Says That the  
Japanese**

**Are Moving Forward Slowly  
and That Armies Are  
Not in Touch.**

**Two Hours of Heavy Firing Reported  
From Che Foo This Morning  
Lacks Reliable  
Confirmation.**

General Kuropatkin reports all quiet along his entire front yesterday, and it is evident from the tone of today's advices that the two armies are not yet in close touch.

A dispatch from Mukden says that the Japanese are moving forward with extreme slowness. Che Foo reports that two hours of heavy firing was heard by vessels off Port Arthur, but there is no confirmation of the dispatch from St. Petersburg published in the Paris Matin saying that the emperor had received private dispatches to the effect that a general assault on the position was in progress. Like the majority of reports originating in the European press it is obviously an invention. It has been some months since Port Arthur was in communication with any outside point, and the only news from the beleaguered fortress has come out by way of Che Foo and Tokio. On its face the Matin story is incredible.

Che Foo, Sept. 24, 6:30 p. m.—The steamer Victoria, which arrived here this evening from New Cheung, heard two hours heavy firing at Port Arthur this morning, the firing being on the east side of the city. The steamer was twice stopped by Japanese war ships, but was only briefly delayed.

Just Equal to Losses.  
General Uken's Headquarters in the Field, via Fushan, Sept. 23.—Before the retreat northward began Russian officers told foreigners that the reinforcements brought into Manchuria since June last were only enough to counter-balance the casualties up to that date.

If this is true the Russian forces in Manchuria are no larger than when the battle of Telissu (Vafangow) was fought on June 1st.

There are persistent rumors among the Chinese that Russians are evacuating Mukden, and are preparing to make a desperate stand at Tie Pass. Everything now awaits the result of the attack on Port Arthur.

First Touch of Winter.  
General Kuropatkin's Headquarters in the Field, via Fushan, Sept. 23.—(Delayed in transmission)—The first touch of the Manchurian winter, which follows the summer abruptly, came yesterday with a sudden cold wave, the thermometer registering 44 degrees during the night. Much discomfort was experienced by the soldiers, who, clad in khaki, were sleeping under doors. A supply of winter clothing has begun to arrive, and all will soon be provided for in this respect.

Continue Their Advance.  
Mukden, Sept. 22.—(Delayed in transmission)—The Japanese continue their advance northward with extreme slowness. General Kuropatkin's headquarters is close to Panshan, about 45 miles east of Liao Yang.

A Turkish regiment is reported to have killed eight Japanese cavalrymen in the brush near Yentai.

Junks are coming up the Liao river regularly, with supplies for the Japanese.

The return of Lieutenant-General Kennerkamp to the command of the cavalry division has been signaled by renewed activity on the part of the Russians.

## JAPS IN NEW ROLE.

San Francisco, Sept. 24.—The Merchants exchange has received a cablegram from London, stating that the British steamer Crusader, bound from Oregon ports for the far east, has been captured by the Japanese, and taken to Hakodate. The Crusader started from Astoria, Oregon, September 2nd, for Shanghai.

## FOUND HIM DEAD.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 24.—Hector Vandorster, clerk of the court of deputies of Belgium, a member of the parliamentary union now visiting here, was found dead in bed today.

## BISHOPS COMING.

Boston, Sept. 24.—A number of bishops from abroad, who will participate actively in the proceedings of the triennial convention of Episcopalians, to be held in this city on October 25th and 26th, have arrived in the United States. The greater number, however, will attend the national convention of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, in Philadelphia, the latter part of the month, before coming to Boston.

Arrangements for the notable assembly of church men are being rapidly perfected.

## THE FRIARS CAN SECURE

**Money for Their Lands in London  
Through Plan of Insular  
Department.**

Washington, D. C., Sept. 24.—Arrangements have just been made whereby the Augustinian Friars in the Philippines can secure the money in payment for their lands in London, as they desire, instead of in Manila. To this end the insular bureau of the war department has decided that the entire transaction shall be conducted through the Guarantee Trust Co., of New York and London, and recourse will not be had to the Bank of England as originally contemplated.

The treasurer of the Philippine government has been instructed to draw forty warrants covering the two million dollars involved in this payment, and hand them to the friars' representatives, who may cash them in London at their pleasure on presentation to the Guarantee Trust Co. there.

## SCHOOL FUN CAUSES DEATH.

Walpole, Mass., Sept. 24.—School-boy fun has caused the death of J. Orle Harding, of Foxboro, and Ralph Hudson, 15 years old, of East Walpole, is under arrest. Hudson, according to the police, with several other boys, yesterday, in fun, threw apples at Harding as he passed on his laundry wagon. Harding jumped from his seat and, it is said, began lashing the Hudson boy with his whip. Hudson, it is alleged, knocked Harding down with his fist and Harding's head struck the pavement, fracturing his skull. He died during the night. Harding was 55 years old. Hudson was arrested today.

## THEIR RACE FAILED TO ACCOMPLISH PURPOSE.

New York, Sept. 24.—Mrs. L. Z. Leiter and her daughter Nannie, who raced across the continent from Denver on the way to London to the bedside of Lady Curzon, reached New York today, too late to catch either the steamer Lucinda or the New York, on which they expected to sail. The next fast steamer for England will be the Teutonic, which sails Wednesday, and it is probable that Mrs. Leiter and her daughter will sail at that time.

## AGED COUPLE BADLY TREATED.

**Robbers Torture Them in Attempt  
to Get Disclosure of Hidden Money.**

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 24.—Three masked men who broke into the house of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gibbons, residing near Bosburg, tortured the aged couple in an effort to find hidden money. Gibbons and his wife were pulled from bed and asked where their money was hidden. They denied having any, and when threatened, continued their denial. Gibbons was then thrown back upon the bed while the robbers beat and choked his wife until she became unconscious and probably will die.

The robbers fled, but one was captured and taken to Tunkhannock jail under heavy guard.

## SPELLBINDERS ASSIGNED.

New York, Sept. 23.—It is announced that Secretary of the Treasury Shaw will speak at Point Pleasant, West Virginia, October 7, and Patterson, N. J., October 13th.

Speaker Cannon, accompanied by Congressman J. Adam Bede, of Minnesota, will make three speeches in West Virginia, beginning at Huntington, October 15th, at Parkersburg on the 17th, and Morgantown on the 18th. These will be day meetings.

A night meeting will be held at Fairmount on the 18th. On the 19th a day meeting will be held at Kingwood and a night meeting at Grafton.

## PASSENGER TRAINS IN FATAL COLLISION.

**Ten Persons Are Reported Killed and Twenty-five Injured. Every Car in One Train Demolished, Except Sleeper.**

Knoxville, Tenn., Sept. 24.—Two passenger trains on the Southern Railway collided today at a point 30 miles east of Knoxville. Ten persons are reported killed, and about twenty-five injured.

The known dead are:  
WM. K. KENT, of Knoxville, engineer on west-bound train.  
RICHARD PARROTT, Knoxville, engineer on east-bound train.  
JAMES KING, Knoxville.  
JAMES MILLS, colored, New Market.

Every car in the east-bound train was demolished, except the sleeper. DeLong Rice, of Nashville, Tenn., was riding in the sleeper with his two sons, and all escaped injury.

A large number of people were going from Knoxville to New Market to attend the funeral of W. R. King, a prominent citizen of that place, who died yesterday.

LATER.  
Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 24.—According to advices received at the Southern Railway office here, it is believed that fifty persons were killed in the wreck near New Market, Tenn., and that seventy-five were injured.

## FAST

**Run Was Made by  
the Special**

## To Defiance,

**And Guests and Hosts  
Were Pleased**

**With the Day's Events and  
Hospitality of Lima and  
Col. Hobart.**

Defiance Citizens Declared They Could Not Have Been More Delightfully Entertained by Lima.

The party of Defiance citizens who visited Lima and were this city's and Colonel Hobart's guests yesterday, returned to their home city on the beautiful Maumee last evening, and all were unanimous in their praise for Lima, her citizens and the royal manner in which they were received and entertained here during every moment of their stay in the oil city of the northwest. The only complaint offered was that the day was no longer in order that they might have prolonged their visit. There were many places of interest they wished to visit, that they were compelled to pass without seeing in order to return to their homes and families in the evening.

The Delsel-Wenmer cigar factory, the National Tile Roofing Co.'s plant, and a number of other institutions of the city were on the program for visits, but there was not time enough for all. The committee was able, however, to get through with the program that was undertaken, on schedule time, notwithstanding the slight delay in the arrival of the party yesterday morning. The last trip of the afternoon program was made to the driving association grounds and from there the special cars provided by J. A. Bendure, of the Lima Electric Railway & Light Co., and F. D. Carpenter, of the Western Ohio, took the party to Grand avenue, where the C. & L. M. special was found in waiting. Quite a number of the members of the local committee accompanied the visitors on the return trip, and all enjoyed the outing, together with the fried chicken, sandwiches and cigars that were provided on the train by Colonel Hobart. The return trip to Defiance was made in one hour and fifteen minutes, and the visitors upon alighting from the train in their home city returned a vote of thanks to Colonel Hobart, and gave three rousing cheers in his honor. He had proven himself a royal entertainer, both to Lima and Defiance citizens, and all appreciated the fact deeply.

On the return to run to this city Colonel Hobart surprised his Lima guests by taking charge of the engine for about half of the run, and handled the locomotive like a veteran, making excellent time, one stretch of ten miles being covered at the rate of fifty miles an hour.

The special was in charge of Conductor Clapsaddle and Engineer Geo. Munson.

## STATISTICS SHOW LARGE

**Increase in Crime in Ohio for the  
Year Ending March 31,  
1904.**

Columbus, Sept. 24.—State statistics just completed for the year ending March 31st, 1904, show an alarming increase in crime in Ohio.

During the year 2,720 persons and 1,141 convicted of crimes against the person, as compared with 2,402, indicted and 883 convicted in 1903; in all 3,138 persons were indicted and 1,273 convicted of crimes against property in 1904, against 2,873 indicted and 1,092 convicted the previous year, and 2,830 persons were indicted for crimes against the peace, and justice, and 1,082 convicted against 2,669 indicted and 958 convicted the previous year.

## OIL MARKET

**Advanced Two Cents, All  
Around, This Morning.**

The crude oil market was given another boost this morning, the advance being two cents on the barrel, all around. The quotations are as follows:

Tionia oil	.....\$1.71
Penna. oil	.....1.56
Corning oil	.....1.33
New Castle oil	.....1.43
North Lima oil	.....1.05
South Lima oil	.....1.00
Indiana oil	.....1.00
Somerset oil	.....1.01
Ragland oil	......60

## VICIOUS CONVICT.

Columbus, O., Sept. 24.—James Costley, a Licking county prisoner in the penitentiary was stabbed four times today by Sam Johnson, a Franklin county convict, the knife penetrating the abdominal wall and inflicting a dangerous wound. The men quarreled over their work in one of the foundries.

## CRUISERS AT GRAVESEND.

London, Eng., Sept. 24.—The cruisers Olympia, Cleveland and Des Moines of the United States European squadron have arrived at Gravesend. The Olympia will remain three weeks and the Cleveland and Des Moines two weeks. All the vessels after the stay, proceeding to the Mediterranean to take part in the maneuvers there.

## GRAND SIRE OF ODD FELLOWS

**Installed at His Home in Presence  
of Distinguished Company  
of Officials.**

Allentown, Pa., Sept. 24.—Grand Sire-elect Robert E. Wright, of the sovereign grand lodge of Odd Fellows, who was prevented by illness from attending the meeting in San Francisco, was installed at his home here today by past grand sire Clement F. Campbell, of Ontario, in the presence of a score of officials of the grand lodge of Pennsylvania.

## STORM COMING.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 24.—Southwest storm warnings were ordered displayed at all lower lake stations by the chief weather forecaster at Washington, this morning. The storm is now over the upper lakes and is moving rapidly eastward. There will probably be high southwest to west winds with rain over a large portion of Ohio tonight.

## BULLETIN.

Charleston, S. C., Sept. 24.—A special to the Evening Post says it is reported that a negro, accused of criminal assault, has been lynched at Wateree, in Laurens county, this state. Particulars are not yet available.



# The Yellow Holly

By FERGUS HUME.  
Author of "The Mystery of a  
Hansom Cab," etc.

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## CHAPTER I.

SHE did not put the sacramental wine on her cards, as no invitations were sent out. These were delivered verbally by hand to the guests on Friday evening. It was really a scratch party of no-bodies, and they assembled as usual in the drawing room on this special evening to play and not to work. Mrs. Taine had aside her eternal knitting; Miss Bull dispensed with her game of "patience"; Mr. Granger sang his one song of the early Victorian epoch—something twice when singers were scarce—and Mr. Harmer wore his antiquated dress suit. In her black silk gown, her lace cap and "the diamonds," Mrs. Jersey looked so they assumed her to be the lady.

Was she a lady? No one ever asked that leading question, as it would have provoked an untruth or a most unpleasant reply. She admitted in expansive moments to having seen "better days," but when her actual past had been— and from her looks she had one—none ever discovered.

Few friends presented themselves on this particular Friday evening, for it was extremely foggy, and none of them could afford a cab. Even those who patronized the nearest bus line had some distance to walk before they knocked at the Jersey door, and thus ran a chance of losing their way. Either in light or darkness the house was hard to find, for it occupied the corner of a particularly private square far removed from the Oxford street traffic.

It was quite an asylum for old age. None of the guests was under fifty, save a newcomer who had arrived the previous week, and they wondered why he came among them. He was round, though plain looking, and he was fashionably dressed, though stout. This was the first time he had been present at Madame's reception, and he was explaining his reasons for coming to Roseberry.

Mrs. Jersey introduced him as "Leonard Train, the distinguished novelist," although he had published only one book at his own cost, and even that production was unknown to the bores.

"Fashionable novelist," said he in a still small voice which contrasted curiously with his massive proportions. "Have overdone the business of society and epigrams. I must revert to the Dickens style. I have therefore taken up my residence here for a brief period to study old world types." Here he looked around with a beaming smile. "I am glad to find so rich a field to glean."

This doubtful compliment provoked weak smiles. The boarders did not wish to be rude, but they felt it was impossible to approve of the young man. Not being sufficiently modern to court modernity, one and all disliked the idea of being "put in a book." Mrs. Taine, conscious of her weak grammar, looked uneasily at Miss Bull, who smiled gently and then glanced at Train. Granger drew himself up and pulled his gray mustache; he was the look of the establishment, and Harmer nodded, saying, "Well, well," his eyes remarking when he did not understand what was going on. Only Mrs. Jersey spoke. Train had taken a sitting room as well as a bedroom, therefore he must be rich, and as he had not hugged over terms it was necessary that he should be dowered. Mrs. Jersey saw a chance of making money out of him.

"How delightful," she said in her motherly manner. "I hope you will say nice things about us, Mr. Train."

"I shall tell the truth, madame. The truth does not flatter."

Mrs. Jersey became still more motherly and paid a compliment. "That depends, Mr. Train. If the truth were spoken about you, for instance."

It was really a very nice compliment, but Miss Bull, with malice aforethought, spoiled it in the utterance by laughing pointedly. Train, who had already set his face for a smile, grew red, and Madame darted a look at Miss Bull quite out of keeping with her motherly manner. More than this, she spoke her mind. "I hope, Mr. Train, that you will speak the whole truth of some of us."

Miss Bull shrugged her thin shoulders and in direct contradiction to the traditions of the evening produced her pack of cards. To abscond on Friday evenings always annoyed her, and since Madame had been rude Miss Bull seized the opportunity to show her indifference and enjoy by doing so her favorite pastime. She was a small, thin, dry old maid, with a pallid face and bright black eyes. Her mouth was hard and smiled treacherously. No one liked her save Margery, the niece of Mrs. Jersey. But Margery was supposed to be queer, so her approval of Miss Bull mattered little.

"Perhaps Mr. Granger will oblige us with a song," suggested Madame, smoothing her face, but still inwardly furious.

Mr. Granger, who had been waiting for this moment, was only too happy. He knew but one song and had sung it dozens of times in that very room. It was natural to suppose that he knew it by heart. All the same he produced his music and read the words as he saw. Margery played his accompaniment without looking at the notes. She was as familiar with them as she was with the moment when Mr. Granger's voice would crack. This night he cracked as usual, apologized as usual, and his harpists accepted the

apology as usual, so it was all very pleasant.

"If Mrs. Taine will play us the 'Canary Bird Quadrilles,'" Mrs. Jersey hastily intervened, "how pleased we shall be."

Mrs. Taine obliged, and Madame, under cover of the music, talked with Train.

"You mustn't mind the guests," she said; "they are old and require to be humored."

"It's most amusing, madame. I shall stop here three weeks to pick up types."

"Oh, you must stay longer than that," said Madame, smiling and patting his hand, still in a motherly way. "Now that you have found us out, we cannot lose you. By the way—here Mrs. Jersey's eyes became very searching—"how did you find us out?"

"It was a friend of mine, madame. He knew that I wanted to get into the Dickens world and suggested this house."

"Do I know the gentleman?" asked Madame, who seemed anxious.

"I don't think so. But he is coming to see me tonight."

"You must ask him in here and introduce him. I should like to thank him for having recommended my house."

"We were going to have a conversation in my room," said Train dubiously. "He's such a shy fellow that I don't think he'll come in."

"Oh, but he must. I love young people. Will your friend remain over tonight?"

"He will if he comes at all," replied Leonard, looking at his watch; "but if the fog is very thick I don't know if he'll turn up. It is now a quarter of eight."

"We usually disperse at 11," said Madame. "But on this night I must break up at 10, as I have"—she hesitated—"I have business to do."

"I won't trouble you, madame," said Train. "My friend and I can have supper in my room."

"That's just it," said Madame, and her voice became rather hard. "I beg, Mr. Train, that you and your friend will not sit up late."

"Why not? We both wish to smoke and talk."

"You can do that in the daytime, Mr. Train. But my house is most respectable, and I hope you will be in bed before 11."

Leonard would have protested, as he objected to this sort of maternal government, but Mrs. Jersey rustled away and he was left to make the best of it.

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though Miss Bull never raised her eyes, though she was well aware of what was going on.

Madame was not to be beaten. "I tell you what, dear Miss Bull," she said, smiling graciously, "since you have broken through our rule and have produced the cards, you shall tell all our fortunes."

"Yours?" asked Miss Bull, looking up for the first time.

Madame shook her head, "I know mine. Tell Mr. Granger's."

"I am at Miss Bull's service," said the polite old gentleman, bowing.

Miss Bull swept the cards into a heap. "I'm quite willing," she said to a voice almost pleasant to her. "Anything to oblige dear madame."

Mrs. Jersey smiled still more graciously and sailed away to send Mr. Harmer to the cards. But she wondered inwardly why Miss Bull had given way so suddenly. There was some reason for it, as Miss Bull never did anything without a reason. But Mrs. Jersey kept her own counsel and still continued to smile. She had quite made up her mind how to act.

"Ladies and gentlemen," she said, standing in the middle of the drawing room, "we must disperse tonight at 10. I have some business to attend to, so I request you will all retire at that hour. In the meantime Miss Bull has kindly consented to tell your fortunes."

Madame then retired to her throne and saw that the servants arranged the tray properly. She had a gigantic chair, which was jokingly called her throne, and here she received strangers in quite a majestic way. Mrs. Jersey was not bad looking. She had a fresh colored face, bright black eyes and plenty of white hair like spun silk. Her figure was stout, but she yet retained a certain comeliness which showed that she must have been a handsome woman in her youth. Her manners were motherly, but she showed a stern face toward Margery and did not treat the girl so kindly as she might have done. As a rule, she had great self command, but sometimes gave way to paroxysms of passion which were really terrifying. But Mrs. Jersey alone had been witness of these, and Mrs. Jersey passed for a dear, gentle old lady.

A moment later Train entered, and after him came a tall young man, fair haired and stalwart. He was handsome, but seemed to be ill at ease and pulled his yellow mustache nervously as Train led him to the throne.

"This is my friend," said Leonard, presenting him. "He just managed to get here, for the fog is so thick."

Here he was interrupted. "Madame," cried Mrs. Taine, "what is the matter? Mr. Harmer, the water—where—quick!"

There was need of it. Mrs. Jersey had fallen back on the throne with a white face and twitching lips. She appeared as though about to faint, but, restraining herself with a powerful effort, she waved her hand to intimate that she needed nothing. At the same time her eyes were fastened not so much on the face of the stranger as on a piece of yellow holly he wore in his coat. "I am perfectly well," said Mrs. Jersey. "This is only one of my turns. I am glad to see you, Mr. Train."

"Brendon," said the stranger, who seemed astonished at this reception. "George Brendon," interpolated Train, who was alive with curiosity. "Have you seen him before, madame?"

Mrs. Jersey laughed artificially. "Certainly not," she replied calmly, "and you is not a face I should for get, Mr. Brendon."

She uttered the name with a certain amount of hesitation, as though she was not sure it was the right one. George nodded.

"My name is Brendon," he said, rather unnecessarily, and Mrs. Jersey nodded in her most gracious manner.

"I bid you welcome, sir. Any friend of Mr. Train's is also my friend. If there is anything to amuse you here?" She waved her hand. "We are simple people—fortune telling, a little music and the company of my guests. Mrs. Taine, Mr. Harmer?" She introduced them, but every now and then her eyes were on the yellow holly. Brendon remarked it.

"You are noticing my flower, Mrs. Jersey," he said. "It is rather rare."

"Most extraordinary," replied Mrs. Jersey coolly. "I have seen holly with red berries before, but this yellow—"

"There was a great bush of it in my father's garden," said Mr. Harmer, "but I have not seen any for years."

"Perhaps you would like it, Mrs. Jersey," said Brendon, taking it from his coat.

She hastily waved her hand. "No, no! I am too old for flowers. Keep it, Mr. Brendon. It suits better with your youth," she looked at his face keenly. "I have seen a face like yours before."

Brendon laughed. "I am of a commonplace type, I fear," he said.

"No, not so very common. Fair hair and dark eyes do not usually go together. Perhaps I have met your father?"

"Perhaps," replied George phlegmatically.

"Or your mother?" persisted Mrs. Jersey.

"I dare say." Then he turned the conversation. "What a delightful old house you have here!"

Mrs. Jersey bit her lip on finding her inquiries thus baffled, but, taking her cue, expanded on the subject of the house. "It was a fashionable mansion in the time of the Georges," she said. "Some of the ceilings are wonderfully painted, and there are all kinds of queer rooms and cupboards and corners in it. Will you have some negus, port wine negus, Mr. Brendon?"

She was evidently talking at random, and offered him a glass of negus with a trembling hand. Brendon, evidently more and more astonished at her manner, drank off the wine. He made few remarks, being a man who spoke little in general company. Train had long ago gone to hear Miss Bull tell fortunes, and from the laughter it was evident that his future was being prophesied.

"No, no," cried Train, "I shall never

nancy. A literary man should keep himself away from the fascinations of female society."

"Do you agree with that, Mr. Brendon?" asked Mrs. Jersey curiously.

He shook his head and laughed. "I am not a hermit, Mrs. Jersey."

"Then Miss Bull must prophesy about your marriage. Come!"

At first Brendon was unwilling to go, but after some persuasion he submitted to be led to the table. Miss Bull was quite willing to do what was asked of her, and spread out the cards.



"You will meet with a violent death."

Brendon waited beside Mrs. Jersey with a most indifferent air. She was far more anxious to hear the fortune than he was.

"You are in trouble," announced Miss Bull in a sepulchral tone, "and the trouble will grow worse. But in the end all will be well. She will aid you to get free and will bestow her hand on you."

"She?" asked Brendon, looking puzzled.

Miss Bull did not raise her eyes. "The lady you are thinking of."

Brendon was rather taken aback, but seeing Mrs. Jersey's curious look he crushed down his emotion. "At my age we are always thinking of ladies," he said, laughing.

Train touched his arm. "It is"—he began, but Brendon frowned, and Leonard was quick enough to take the hint. Miss Bull went on telling the fortune.

There were the usual dark and fair people, the widow, the journey, the money and all the rest of the general events and happenings which are usually foretold. But there was always trouble, trouble, and again trouble. "The you will come out right in the end," said Miss Bull. "Keep a brave heart."

"I am sure Mr. Brendon will do that," said Madame graciously.

While George bowed to the compliment Miss Bull again shuffled the cards and fastened her keen black eyes on Madame. "Will you have your fortune told?" she asked coolly.

"Oh, certainly," said Mrs. Jersey in a most gushing manner; "anything to amuse. But my fortune has been told so often and has never come true—never." And she sighed in an effective manner.

Miss Bull continued her mystic counting. She told Madame a lot of things about the house which were known to most present. Mrs. Jersey laughed and sneered. Suddenly Miss Bull turned up a black card. "You will meet with a violent death," she said, and every one shuddered.

## CHAPTER II.

IF Miss Bull wished to make Madame uncomfortable she certainly succeeded. From being voluble, Mrs. Jersey became silent, the fresh color died out of her face, and her lips moved nervously.

Twice did she make an effort to overcome her emotion, but each time failed. Afterward she took a seat by the fire and stared into the flames with an anxious look, as though she saw therein a fulfillment of the dismal prophecy. Her depression communicated itself to the rest of the company, and shortly before 10 the friends took their departure. The idea of being alone seemed to cheer Mrs. Jersey, and she accompanied her departing guests to the front door.

It was a comparatively thick fog, yet not so bad that the visitors might hope to reach their homes. For some time Mrs. Jersey stood in the doorway at the top of the steps and shook hands with those who were going. The boarders, who were old and chilly, were too wise to venture outside on such a dreary night, so Mrs. Jersey had the doorstep all to herself. "If you lose your way," she called out to the visitors, "come back. You can tell the house by the red light." She pointed to the faint light of crimson glass behind which gas was burning. "I will keep that light for another hour."

The voices of thanks came back muffled by the fog, but Leonard and George waited to hear no more. They walked upstairs to Train's sitting room, which was on the first floor. The windows looked out on to a back garden, wherein grew a few scrubby trees, so that the prospect was not cheering. But on this night the faded crimson curtains were drawn, the fire was lighted and a round table in the middle of the apartment was spread for supper. On one side a door led to Leonard's bedroom; on the other side was the room wherein George was to sleep. As the firelight played on the old fashioned furniture and on the mellow colors of curtains and carpet Leonard rubbed his hands. "It is rather quaint," he said cheerfully, and lighted the lamp.

"Not such a palace as your diggings in Duke street," said Brendon, stretching his long legs on the chintz covered sofa.

"One must suffer in the cause of art," said Train, putting the shade on the lamp. "I am picking up excellent types here. What do you think?"

"There's plenty of material," growled

Brendon, getting out his pipe.

"Don't smoke yet, George," interrupted Train, glancing at the clock. "We must have supper first. After that we can smoke till 11 and then we must go to bed."

"You keep early hours here, Leonard."

"I don't. Mrs. Jersey asked me particularly to be in bed at 11."

"Why?" Brendon started and looked hard at his friend.

"I don't know, but she did."

"Is it an understood thing that you retire at that hour?"

Train shook his head and drew in his chair. "By no means. I have sat up till 2 before now. But on this night Mrs. Jersey wants the house to be considered respectable and therefore asked me to retire early. Perhaps it's on account of you, old man. Here he smiled in an amused manner. "She hopes to get you as a boarder."

"I wouldn't come here for the world," retorted Brendon with quite unnecessary violence.

"Why not? Have some tongue?"

"Thanks," responded George, passing his plate. "Because I don't like the house, and I don't care for Mrs. Jersey."

"Why did you advise me to come here, then?" asked Train, pouring out a glass of claret.

"Well, you wanted something in the style of Dickens, and this was the only place I knew."

"How did you know about it?"

George deliberated for a moment and then fastened his eyes on his plate. "I lived here once," he said in a low voice.

"But you didn't like Mrs. Jersey?"

"She was not here then."

"Who was here?"

"My grandfather on the mother's side. That's fifteen years ago."

Leonard looked at the handsome, steady face of his friend musingly. "I never knew you had a grandfather," he said at last.

"Do you know anything at all about me?" asked Brendon.

"No, now I come to think of it, I don't. I met you three years ago at Mrs. Ward's house, and we have been friends ever since."

"Acquaintances, rather. Men are not friends until they become confidential with one another. Well, Train," George pushed back his chair and wiped his mouth. "I intend to turn you from a mere acquaintance into a friend."

"I shall be delighted," said Train, rather bewildered. "Won't you have more supper?"

Brendon shook his head, lighted his pipe and again stretched himself on the sofa. Train, being curious to know what he had said, was on the point of joining him, but he was yet hungry, so could not bring himself to leave the table.

Train's parents were dead and had left him an income of £5000 a year. Not being very strong-minded, and being more than a little concerned as to his literary abilities, his money speedily attracted round him a number of needy hangers on, who dattered him to the top of his bent.

Poor Leonard thought that all women were angels and all men good fellows with a harmless tendency to borrow. He was called a fool by those he fed, but none could call him a rogue.

It was simplicity which inspired Brendon with a playful friendship, and Brendon had done much to save him from the harpies who preyed on this innocent. In several cases he had opened Train's eyes at the cost of quarreling with those who lost by the opening, but George was well able to hold his own, and none could say that he benefited pecuniarily by the trust and confidence which Leonard reposed in him. To avert all suspicion of this sort he had refused to become Train's secretary and companion at an excellent salary.

Now that Train came to think of it, Brendon was rather a mysterious person. He lived by writing articles for the papers, and was always well dressed. His rooms were in Kensington, and he seemed to know many people whom he did not cultivate. Train would have given his ears to enter the houses at which Brendon was a welcome guest, but for the most part George preferred to live alone with his pipe and his books. He was writing a novel and hoped to make a successful career as a literary man, but as he was barely thirty years of age and had been settled only five years in London his scheme of life was rather in embryo. He appeared to have some secret trouble, but what it was Train never knew, as Brendon was particularly reticent man. Why he should propose to be frank on this special night Leonard could not understand. After supper he put the question to him.

"You can depend upon me, George. Anything you tell me will never be repeated."

Brendon nodded his thanks. "Also," he continued, "I wish you to lend me £300."

"A thousand if you will."

"Three hundred will be sufficient. I'll repay you when I come into my property."

Train opened his eyes. "Are you coming into money?" he asked.

"That I can't say. It all depends. Do you know why I suggested this house to you, Leonard?" he asked suddenly.

"To help me in my literary work."

"That was one reason, certainly, but I had another and more selfish one, connected"—George sat up to finish the sentence—"connected with Mrs. Jersey," he said quietly.

This remark was so unexpected that Leonard did not know what to say for a moment. "I thought you did not know her," he gasped out.

"Nor do I."

"Does she know you?"

"Not as George Brendon, or as I am now."

"What do you mean?" Train was more puzzled than ever.

"It is a long story. I don't know that I can tell you the whole."

Train looked annoyed. "Trust me"—

"All in all or not at all," finished Brendon, "quite so." He paused and drew him at his pipe. "Since I want money I must trust you."

"Is it only for that reason that you consider me worthy of your confidence?" asked Leonard, much mortified.

George leaned forward and patted him on the knee. "No, old man. I wish you to help me also."

"In what way?"

"With Dorothy Ward," replied George, looking closely at his pipe.

"Was she in your mind tonight when that old maid was telling the cards?" asked Train, sitting up with a look of interest.

Brendon nodded. "But I do not wish you to mention her name. That was why."

"I know, I was foolish. Well, she's a pretty girl, and as good as she is pretty."

"Which is marvelous," said Brendon, "considering the fashionable mother she has."

Train smiled. "Mrs. Ward is certainly a leader of fashion."

"And as heartless as any woman I know," observed Brendon. He glanced affectionately at the yellow holly.

"Dorothy gave me this tonight."

"Did you see her before you came here?"

"Yes, I went to afternoon tea. We—Brendon examined his pipe again—"we understand one another," he said.

Leonard sprang to his feet. "My dear chap, I congratulate you."

"Thanks, but it's too early for congratulation as yet. Mrs. Ward wants her daughter to make a good marriage. George Brendon will be the husband of her choice, but Lord Derrington!"

"Does she want her daughter to marry that old thing?"

"You don't understand, Leonard. I mean that if I become Lord Derrington when the old man dies Mrs. Ward will consent."

Train sat down helplessly and stared. "I don't understand," he said.

"I'll put the thing in a nutshell," explained Brendon. "Lord Derrington is my grandfather."

"Your—but he never lived here?"

"No. The grandfather who lived here and with whom I stayed was my mother's father. He was called Lockwood. Derrington is my father's father. Now do you understand?"

"Not quite. How can you become Lord Derrington when he is a grandson that young rip Walter Vance?"

"Walter Vance is the son of my father's brother, and my father was the elder and the heir to the title."

"Then, if Lord Derrington dies you become—"

"Exactly. But the



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Tomorrow, Rev. A. Boll, of Toledo,

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Items Gathered Here and There of Interest to South Side Readers. Notes and Personal Briefs.

Tomorrow the neat little church at the corner of east Kirby street and Jackson, built by the south Lima German Lutherans, will be dedicated. Splendid programs have been arranged for both morning and afternoon, the English service to be held at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Rev. Brenner will officiate.

This church is the outcome of the little mission which held forth in the rooms of the Deulah mission on Second street for several years, and its prosperity has been very encouraging to the pastor.

This makes an even dozen churches for south Lima, besides the numerous missions scattered about in various places, and there is no reasonable excuse for children not receiving religious instruction in this part of the city.

**New Shaver Combination.**  
George Custer has abandoned his barber shop at the corner of Recco avenue and Vine street, and has purchased a half interest in the Pammel shop at the corner of Second street and St. Johns avenue.

**What They Got.**  
Yesterday George Tracewell of the south side fire department and Dr. Duval went to the woods in search of squirrel, and after tramping around all day they succeeded in getting—back. "Uncle Sam" fared better than his comrade, for he brought home nearly a dozen—new hunting stories.

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Word from Peoria, Ill., states that E. G. Smith, formerly of this city, had suffered a stroke of paralysis and was in a critical condition. Mr. Smith was, when located here, boss painter for the L. E. & W. bridge department.

Rev. M. A. Dean, of Lexington, Ky., is a guest at the Adam Neiswander home on Broadway.

Miss Vesta Primmer, of Holmes avenue, has returned from a pleasant visit with Van Wert county relatives.

General Jackson DeBark is assisting Albert Cleveland as a plumber.

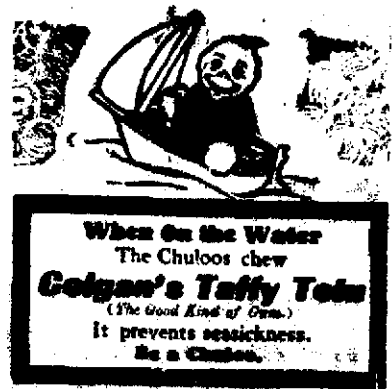
This morning the Rev. James Ryan, who so ably presided over St. John's parish during the absence of Rev. Father Rupert, left for Kenton. Mr. Ryan made a host of friends during his stay in Lima, and will ever be welcome in this city.

Mrs. Eliza Gushard, of Millia, Pa., who is visiting relatives in this section, went to Spencerville this morning to visit another brother. She has been the guest of John B. Kennedy, on Second street.

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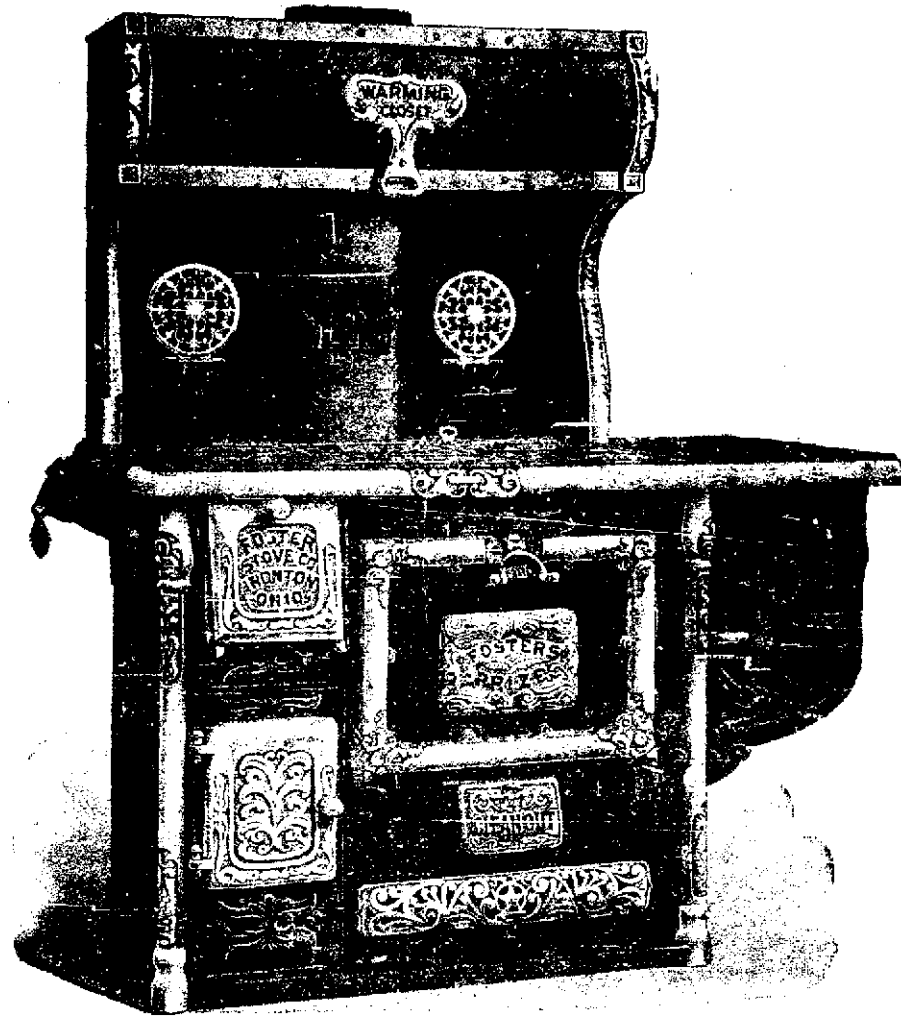
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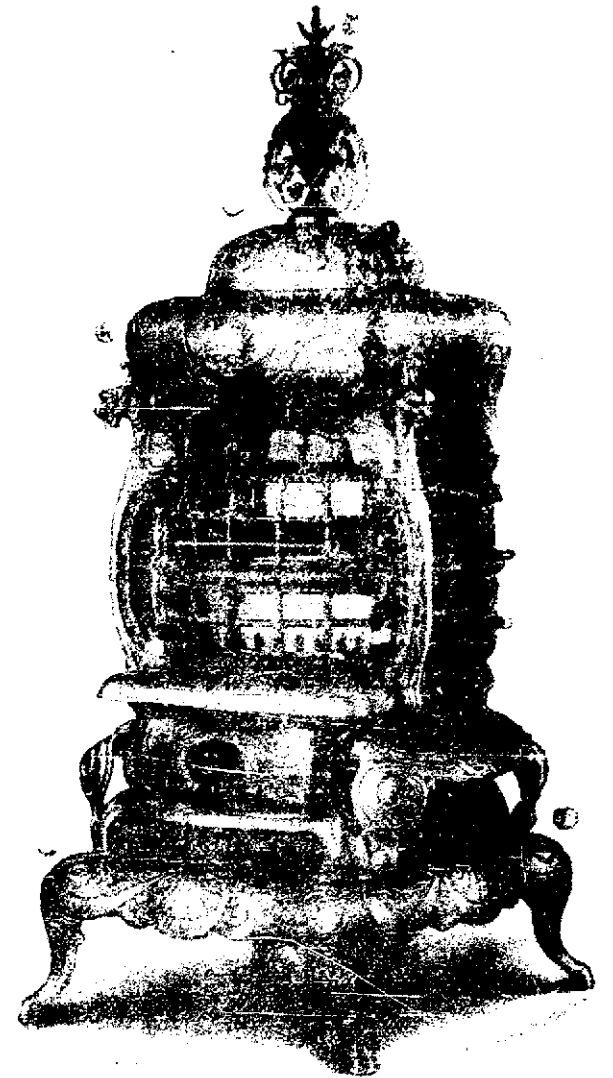
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The Policy Players which will be seen at the Faurot soon is heralded as one of the foremost and largest colored organizations traveling, consisting of forty colored artists, the musical numbers are new, bright, breezy and up-to-date, the costumes are gorgeous, every unexcelled. In this combination of song and comedy we have a lively chapter of entertainment.

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The Imperial Stock Company delighted a large audience with a clever production of the favorite old-time play "East Lynne" at the opera house this afternoon and the general verdict was that no more pleasing matinee bill has been seen here for a long

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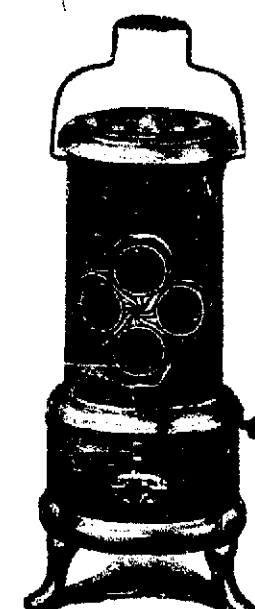
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## Wayne Street Church of Christ.

L. N. Scholes, minister. Bible school at 9:15. Communion at 10:30. Preaching at 11. Christian Endeavor prayer meeting at 6:15. Preaching at 7:30 p. m.

## First Church of Christ (Scientist).

Second floor of Masonic building. Sunday service at 10:30. Subject: "Paralytic." Wednesday evening meeting at 7:30. Reading room open week days from 2 to 5. Visitors welcome.

## St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Corner of West North and Elizabeth streets. Rev. F. P. Bossart, pastor. Services at 10:15 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject: "Who is a Fool?" Evening subject: "The Best Choice." Sunday school at 9. Luther League at 6:45 p. m. Council meeting in the church on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Preparatory services Friday evening at 7:30. Catholicism Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The seats are free, and all are welcome.

## First Evangelical Lutheran Church.

Sunday school at 9:15. Morning service at 10:30. Subject: "Little Things." Luther League at 6 p. m. Mrs. Atman, leader. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "The Uncommon Sense." Midweek prayer meeting at 7 p. m. Thursday, Miss Swan will sing at the Sunday morning service. The evening services hereafter will begin a half hour earlier. Everybody welcome to our church. Allen O. Becker, pastor.

## First Congregational Church.

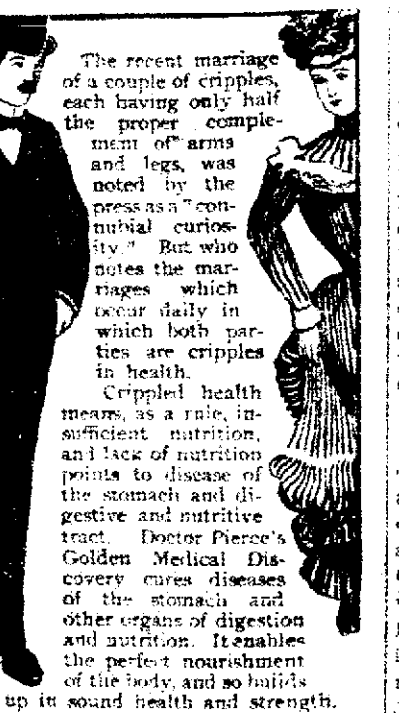
South Elizabeth street, near Market. Rev. J. J. Swanson, pastor. The pastor will conduct worship and preach at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Bible school at 11:15. W. S. Shepard, superintendent. Junior Endeavor at 2:30. Topic: "How Joseph Honored His Father." Senior Endeavor at 6:30. Subject: "Cheering Facts About Missions from Japan and Korea." Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7. Fellowship by choir rehearsal. All seats free. A cordial welcome to all worshippers.

## Calvary Reformed Church.

Corner of East High street and Park avenue. Rev. E. E. Young, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15. Sermon topic at 10:30 will be "Christian Stability." Christian Endeavor at 6:45. Sermon by the pastor at 7:30, topic: "Christ and the Nation." This will be the last of the series on "The Man of Galilee." These have been entirely satisfactory and the pastor has been much encouraged by the attendance, and complimentary remarks by those attending. It is the pastor's purpose to make this last one the best of all. You are invited.

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## Epworth M. E. Church.

Sunday school at 9:15. Preaching at 10:30. General class meeting at 11:30. Junior League at 2:30. Epworth League at 6:30. Subject: "City Evangelization and Home Missions." A. H. Mills, leader. Rev. B. F. Reading, the new appointed pastor will not preach this Sabbath, but will be here to begin his new work the following week. Rev. Kennedy, the former pastor, will preach in the morning, while the evening services will be abandoned.

## German Reformed Church.

West Wayne street. You are most cordially invited to our services. The pastor has returned from Synod, and will be glad to welcome members and friends. Sunday school at 9. Regular services and sermon by the pastor at 10. Evening services will begin with the first Sunday in October. Next Tuesday evening class No. 2 of the Sunday school. Prof. H. B. Adams, teacher, will give an organ recital for the benefit of the building fund. October 2nd will be Rally Day in Sunday school, and Harvesthome festival of the congregation. All members are expected to be present morning and evening. Catechetical instruction every Saturday morning. Paul H. Land, pastor.

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## German Baptist Brethren.

East Elm street, Edward Kintner, pastor. We invite you to Sunday school at 9:30 in the morning, followed by preaching at 10:30; and to song service and preaching at 7:30 in the evening. We welcome you to these services.

## Protestant Episcopal Christ Church.

North and West streets, Rev. G. F. G. Hoyt, rector. Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity. Holy communion at 7:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30. Subject: "Things New and Old." Evening prayer and sermon at 7. Subject: "The Grace of Our Lord Jesus Christ," a factor of life. A cordial invitation to all.

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## Second Street M. E. Church.

Sunday school at 2 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor, A. M. Crist, at 7:15. A cordial invitation to all.

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Sunday school at 9:15. Morning services at 10:15, theme of sermon: "Christian Unity." Evening services at 7:30 o'clock; sermon on "Matthew" in the series of the "Books of the New Testament." A full attendance at both services is desired. Strangers welcome. Carl Ackermann, pastor. Christian and Missionary Alliance. Gospel Tabernacle, south of the Bridge on Main street. Meetings for the week will be as follows: Bible study at 10 o'clock Sabbath morning. Sabbath school at 2. Preaching by Rev. M. A. Dean, of Lexington, Ky., at 3 and 7:30 p. m. There will be a cottage prayer meeting at the Adam Neiswander home, 760 Broadway, on Wednesday evening. Holiness meeting Friday evening at the Tabernacle. All welcome.

## Epworth M. E. Church.

Sunday school at 9:15. Preaching at 10:30. General class meeting at 11:30. Junior League at 2:30. Epworth League at 6:30. Subject: "City Evangelization and Home Missions." A. H. Mills, leader. Rev. B. F. Reading, the new appointed pastor will not preach this Sabbath, but will be here to begin his new work the following week. Rev. Kennedy, the former pastor, will preach in the morning, while the evening services will be abandoned.

## German Reformed Church.

West Wayne street. You are most cordially invited to our services. The pastor has returned from Synod, and will be glad to welcome members and friends. Sunday school at 9. Regular services and sermon by the pastor at 10. Evening services will begin with the first Sunday in October. Next Tuesday evening class No. 2 of the Sunday school. Prof. H. B. Adams, teacher, will give an organ recital for the benefit of the building fund. October 2nd will be Rally Day in Sunday school, and Harvesthome festival of the congregation. All members are expected to be present morning and evening. Catechetical instruction every Saturday morning. Paul H. Land, pastor.

## Market Street Presbyterian Church.

Corner west Market and West streets. The pastor, Robert J. Thompson, D. D., will preach. Subjects: at 10:30, "Finishing Well;" at 7:30 in the evening, "Judah and Peter," a study in conscience. Sunday school at 9:15. Young People's meeting at 6:30. Preparatory lecture Thursday evening at 7:30. Meeting of the session for the reception of members after preparatory lecture. A cordial welcome to all services.

## South Side Lutheran Church.

Corner of Kibby and Jackson streets. Will be dedicated next Sunday. Rev. A. Boil, of Toledo, will preach the morning service series, at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. R. Brenner, pastor.

## German Baptist Brethren.

East Elm street, Edward Kintner, pastor. We invite you to Sunday school at 9:30 in the morning, followed by preaching at 10:30; and to song service and preaching at 7:30 in the evening. We welcome you to these services.

## Protestant Episcopal Christ Church.

North and West streets, Rev. G. F. G. Hoyt, rector. Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity. Holy communion at 7:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30. Subject: "Things New and Old." Evening prayer and sermon at 7. Subject: "The Grace of Our Lord Jesus Christ," a factor of life. A cordial invitation to all.

## St. John's Catholic Church.

Rev. F. G. Rupert will officiate at both masses, at 7:30 and 10 o'clock. Sunday school at 2:15. Vespers and benediction at 7:15 p. m.

## Second Street M. E. Church.

Sunday school at 2 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor, A. M. Crist, at 7:15. A cordial invitation to all.

## South Lima Baptist Church.

Corner of Kibby and Pine. C. M. Roper, pastor. Tomorrow will be church and Sunday school rally day. All services will be made of special interest. Many special invitations have been sent to parents and children. Sunday school at 9:30. At 10:30 the service will be for parents; subject: "Home Education." In the evening at 7:30 the service will be especially for young people; subject: "Jesus as a Young Man." A welcome to all.

## Trinity M. E. Church.

At the first session after conference on Sunday morning will be on "Pastor and People." It will be of a personal character. Members of the church are especially desired to be present. Class meeting at 9 o'clock. Public worship at 10. Sunday school at 11:30. Epworth League at 6:30. Evening service at 7:30. Mid-week prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. Joseph Mercer Avann, pastor.

## Main Street Presbyterian Church.

W. M. Curry, pastor. The Lord's Supper will be celebrated at the morning service at 10:30, at which time also there will be the public reception of members. A short sermon will precede the supper, on "Faith Symbols." The full attendance of the membership is greatly desired. Evening service at 7:30, subject: "Jesus Healing the Paralyzed Man." A cordial welcome to all.

## Teachers' conference next Thursday

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Lima won both the games played against the ex-leaguers at Urbana, defeating them yesterday by the following score:

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Lima, 0 1 0 2 0 6 0 0 9

Urbana, 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 1 0-1

Batteries—Born and Jostel; Wilks and Donahue.

Yesterday's Results.

NATIONAL.

Cincinnati 2, Boston 1.

Brooklyn 7, Chicago 2.

Pittsburg 7, New York 0.

Philadelphia 9, St. Louis 6.

AMERICAN.

Cleveland 1, New York 1.

Nine Innings.

Boston 1, Detroit 3.

How They Stand.

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Clubs. Won. Lost. P. C.

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# SOCIETY and the CLUBS.

The women's clubs, after a summer holiday are resuming active duties along their respective lines. The list of clubs and their presidents, which is here given will be enlarged by the addition of several now being organized.

**Musical:**  
Sappho—Mrs. Charles Moore.  
Eulalie—Mrs. George Mehafer.  
Lisztianers—Mrs. R. H. Ebersole.

**Literary:**  
Woman's—Mrs. O. W. Smith.  
Arbutus—Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie.  
Lotus—Mrs. J. K. Brice.

Auld Lang Syne—Mrs. A. D. Hildreth.  
Chautauquan—Miss Clara Reed.  
Bay View—Mrs. Asa Catt.

Twentieth Century—Mrs. M. L. Becker.

T. & T.—Mrs. F. G. Borges.  
Phitomatheans—Mrs. D. A. Haddell.  
Clonian—Mrs. Charles A. Black.

Sorosis—Mrs. Oglevie.  
Round Table—Mrs. Louis Fall.

**Cards:**  
Spinnet—Mrs. Charles Staggman.  
Monday Night—Mrs. McCullough.  
Comrades—Mrs. George Hall.

Amelents—Mrs. T. D. Robb.  
Players—Mrs. H. M. Moore.

**Embroidery:**  
Winodaghts—Mrs. P. E. Lowery.  
Coterie—Mrs. T. Shroyer.

Avallanto—Mrs. Ireland.  
Ileat—Mrs. Charles Cook.

Frontliche Stodeng—Mrs. William Womner.

Mrs. John Gore, of Findlay, is the guest of Mrs. Tina Crossley, of south Elizabeth street.

Mrs. Donibeday and daughter Hazel, of Columbus, have returned to their home, after a delightful visit with Mrs. Wm. McComb.

Last Saturday afternoon Miss Madge Mitchell entertained the Players. Mrs. C. W. Hollister won the first prize and Mrs. W. L. Russell the second. The guest prize went to Mrs. Roy Banta. The other guests were Mrs. Van Epps of Rochester, N. Y.; Mrs. Murray Campbell of Des Moines, Iowa; Miss McCreery of Beaver, Pa.; Mrs. Percy King, Misses Mildred Townsend, Fannie Wise and Helen Garver.

Miss Alma McBride, of north McClelland street, left Tuesday to join a party going into northern Wisconsin, on a two months hunting trip.

Mrs. E. W. Mosier, of east High street, was the hostess for the Monday night club this week. In the round at progressive polo, one of the guests won the prize, which was a pretty syrup pitcher. The other guests were Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. A. S. Bowers, Mrs. C. N. Wilcoxen, Mrs. Fred Beam, Mrs. R. J. Sinclair, Mrs. Will Bell, Mrs. Louis Fall, Mrs. R. K. Floeter, Mrs. P. E. Herald and Miss Long, of Munich, Indiana.

Mrs. Godfrey and Miss Mary McKim will leave the middle of October to spend the winter in California.

The Spinnet club will meet with Mrs. Asa Catt on Tuesday afternoon. The members are urged to come promptly at two o'clock.

Miss Pauline Jones has come to Toledo, where she will enter Smead Seminary.

Miss Minnie Herald entertained the Bachelor Girls on Tuesday afternoon. The prize, a box of stationery, was won by Miss Daisy Griswold. Miss Beckley, of Fremont, was the only guest.

The Young Ladies Aid Society of Market street Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. William Leighton, corner Market and Pine street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30.

Miss Marion Smith left Wednesday for Berthier, near Montreal, Canada, where she will study at the Young Ladies Seminary.

Davis Cable and George Vail left Tuesday for Case School, of Applied Science, at Cleveland. Mr. Will Bell left here at the same time after a delightful visit with Lima friends.

Mrs. C. C. Williams and John are visiting in Piqua for a week.

Mrs. W. B. Richie entertained the Bridge Whist club at lunch, at the Shawnee Country club on Wednesday.

Cards for the marriage of Miss Susan E. Robinson and Mr. Everett Cable Furnas have been issued for Monday evening, October 3rd. The ceremony will be performed at the home of the bride, 614 west High street, at half after eight o'clock.

Mrs. J. C. Linnman entertained a party of eighteen friends at the Country Club on Thursday evening. Cards and various games made the evening a most delightful one.

The following invitations have been issued to a number of friends:

Rev. John M. Mills requests the honor of your presence at the marriage of his daughter Marie to

Gibson Perkins Dildine, on Wednesday evening Oct. 15th, at eight o'clock.

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Mrs. G. M. McCullough will entertain the Monday Night club and a number of guests at McCullough Auditorium, on Monday evening, in compliance to Miss Josephine Long of Muncie, Ind.

Mrs. Krause, of 611 north Elizabeth street, will entertain the Ideal club Thursday afternoon.

The 35th annual meeting of the Cincinnati branch of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will be held in this city, October 11, 12 and 13.

The meeting is in the entire charge of women and it is probable that the delegates will number 250, representing West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Ohio and Southern Michigan.

The committee of arrangements consist of Mrs. William B. Davis, of Cincinnati; Mrs. W. O. Semans, of Lima; Mrs. H. R. Cowen, of Cincinnati; and Mrs. George Hall of this city. It is customary to place on this committee one lady from the city in which the meeting is held and in this instance "no better selection could have been made. The various committees are all in working order and the program will soon be ready for distribution.

Next Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Gore, will occur the marriage of their daughter, Estella and Mr. Elmer T. Collier.

Mr. Harry M. Ashton is at home after a five weeks trip through the southern states.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Harman have returned from New York.

About fifty friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Haines planned a pleasant surprise for them on Thursday evening, going in a body to their new home, at 617 north Jameson avenue, into which they have recently moved from near Albentown. Members of the Lutheran orchestra were present and assisted in making the affair a most enjoyable one. Mr. Charles Adkins, selections on the violin were also greatly enjoyed. The ladies had prepared a lunch which was served in two courses.

Mrs. M. J. Ballard entertained the Women's club quite informally last evening in compliance to Mrs. J. B. Townsend.

On Tuesday evening Miss Prange, of west High street, gave a granite shower for Miss Estella Gore. There were about fifteen in attendance.

Little Katherine Boegle celebrated her fifth birthday at the kindergarten yesterday morning, to the great delight of all the little ones, to most of whom it was an innovation as this was the first birthday of the year. A dainty lunch, consisting of all the delicacies enjoyed by childish tastes, was served by Mrs. Wheeler and her two assistants, Miss Almira Wilcoxen and Mae Kelly. The little kindergarten children this year are: Helen Hunter, Eleanor Price, Betty Moore, Mary Parmenter, Hilda Leete, Eloise Cunningham, James McDonald, Arthur Wolgemuth, Dorothy Kleinher, Lenore Hubbard, William Hillman, Charles Butters, Scott Morrison, Eloise Roberts, Dorothy Roberts, Morris Thomas, Eloise Harrison, William Bruce, Milton Reed, Elizabeth Boegle, Alice Bell, Donald Adkins, Mary Adkins, Mildred Jones, Elizabeth Miller were the only guest.

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Cornets—Duncan Macdonel, Arthur Herriott, Herbert Baxter.

The violin solos were given by Theodore Dewees, Stella Strauss, Warren Basinger, Elsie Welzelbaum, Alexander Macdonel, Harold Creps, Zeyla Counsellor of Elida, Louise Delsel, Glenn Morris of Columbus Grove, Ralph Munson, Ruth Adams, Brice Selfridge, Adolph Weinfield, Jeanette Jones of Columbus Grove, and Norma Eysenbach of Spencerville. Piano solo by Howard Banta and a cornet solo by Duncan Macdonel, each one acquitting himself with great credit.

The Auld Lang Syne circle held their first meeting of the year with Dr. and Mrs. Hoover, of west Spring street, last evening. The prepared program was carried out in full, with every member present and the addition of two of the honorary members, Rev. and Mrs. Figgley, who came over from Van Wert to attend the initial meeting. Miss Burnett, of Washington Court House, Misses Esther Swan and Edna Francis were guests. After the program an elaborate lunch was served.

The Bay View club will meet with Mrs. Asa Catt Monday afternoon at 2:30. There will be business of importance.

The Avalanto club will meet with Mrs. Chas. Willower Wednesday evening.

The Faithful Helpers will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Clarence Reed of east Market street.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton entertained friends at dinner Friday evening. Covers being laid for eight guests.

The Misses Jet Stein, Rose O'Connor, Carrie Collins, Lillian Stein, Clara and Florence Gallagher and Misses Stein's guest, Miss Sadie Samuels of Oakland, California, and Messrs. Frank Potter, the Stein Harry Smith, Lloyd Applas, Walter Fleming, Alphonse Bonn of this city and George Matthews of Sandusky, were the guests last night at a pleasant dancing party given by the Misses Klein at the Debonair club, Wapakoneta.

The marriage of Miss Mary Heinger of north Main street, and Mr. Durbin Kerr, of south Main street, will occur at St. Rose parsonage next Wednesday evening.

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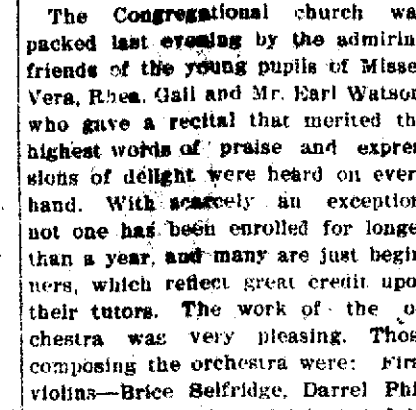
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Mrs. Lewis Hoffman, at her cozy apartments in The Elektron, gave a daintily appointed dinner on Thursday evening for Miss Eleanor Whyte, whose marriage to Mr. Kennard Hoover, occurs on Wednesday, October 5th. The table decorations were pink carnations and ferns, pink roses being given as favors and cards with Gibson heads marked the covers for Mrs. Frank Steiner, Mrs. Clara Davis, Mrs. Fred Braun, Mrs. Mert Seale, Mrs. John Gore of Findlay, Mrs. Joe Putscher, Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. Shepard, Misses Esther Miller, Gertrude Seale and Bertha Womner, all particular friends of the bride-elect and who gave her half a dozen sterling spoons.

The open meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs, held at the home of Mrs. Chauncey F. Lufkin Friday afternoon, was attended by the ladies who enjoyed the following program:

Piano solo—Mrs. H. P. Williamson, of the Etude.  
Vocal solo—"Hear Ye Not, O Israel," Mrs. Roby, of the Sappho.  
Talk—"The New School Code—Miss Blanche Andrews, of the Philomatheans.

Piano duet—Miss Mae O'Connor and Miss Cantwell, of the Lisztianers.  
Miss Andrews talk on the new school law was very interesting and most instructive to every lady, special stress being laid on the necessity of registration.

Mrs. Lufkin presented the subject of a site for the public library and the ladies manifested great interest in the discussion. It was decided that the president of each club in the Federation be requested to appoint a committee of four, one of whom should be a delegate to confer with Mrs. Lufkin for the purpose of perfecting plans, by which a site may be secured. If every lady in Lima will manifest the same interest that was shown at this meeting it will be but a short time until a site is assured.

Mrs. Nettie M. Rockey and children arrived in the city yesterday, direct from India, where she has been a missionary for eighteen years and will visit at the home of her father, Mr. D. A. Haddell of west Spring street. Mrs. Rockey will go to Delaware later, where two of her children are in school and where the others will enter.

The superintendents and pastors banquet at the Y. M. C. A. on Friday evening was enjoyed by thirty-six guests who were seated at the table made inviting with beautiful flowers. Following the banquet, Rev. R. J. Thomson acted as toast-master and the following toasts were responded to:

"All the Church at Work in the Sunday School"—Rev. W. M. Curry.  
"The Superintendent's Lieutenants"—Ira Longworth.  
"This One Thing I Do"—D. R. Cantlery.  
"The Teacher's Equipment"—Dr. J. M. Avann.

Dr. and Mrs. Lush are at home from their wedding trip.

The Congressional church was packed last evening by the admiring friends of the young pupils of Misses Vera, Rhea, Gail and Mr. Earl Watson, who gave a recital that merited the highest words of praise and expressions of delight were heard on every hand. With scarcely an exception, not one has been enrolled for longer than a year, and many are just beginners, which reflect great credit upon their tutors. The work of the orchestra was very pleasing. Those composing the orchestra were: First violins—Brice Selfridge, Darrel Phillips, Ralph Wheeler, Adolph Weinfield, Lizzie Haines, Louise Delsel, Margaret Bailey, Calvin Creps, Howard Horn, Carl Isham, Ralph Munson, Lowell Phillips, George McDonnell, Harold Floeter, Emmett Long, Second violins—Stella Strauss, Benjamin Price, Warren Basinger, Harold Creps, Theodore Dewees, Howard Neff, John Hutchins, Franklin Albrecht, Ruth Adams, Harry Southard.

Cornets—Duncan Macdonel, Arthur Herriott, Herbert Baxter.

The violin solos were given by Theodore Dewees, Stella Strauss, Warren Basinger, Elsie Welzelbaum, Alexander Macdonel, Harold Creps, Zeyla Counsellor of Elida, Louise Delsel, Glenn Morris of Columbus Grove, Ralph Munson, Ruth Adams, Brice Selfridge, Adolph Weinfield, Jeanette Jones of Columbus Grove, and Norma Eysenbach of Spencerville. Piano solo by Howard Banta and a cornet solo by Duncan Macdonel, each one acquitting himself with great credit.

The Auld Lang Syne circle held their first meeting of the year with Dr. and Mrs. Hoover, of west Spring street, last evening. The prepared program was carried out in full, with every member present and the addition of two of the honorary members, Rev. and Mrs. Figgley, who came over from Van Wert to attend the initial meeting. Miss Burnett, of Washington Court House, Misses Esther Swan and Edna Francis were guests. After the program an elaborate lunch was served.

The Bay View club will meet with Mrs. Asa Catt Monday afternoon at 2:30. There will be business of importance.

The Avalanto club will meet with Mrs. Chas. Willower Wednesday evening.

The Faithful Helpers will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Clarence Reed of east Market street.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton entertained friends at dinner Friday evening. Covers being laid for eight guests.

The Misses Jet Stein, Rose O'Connor, Carrie Collins, Lillian Stein, Clara and Florence Gallagher and Misses Stein's guest, Miss Sadie Samuels of Oakland, California, and Messrs. Frank Potter, the Stein Harry Smith, Lloyd Applas, Walter Fleming, Alphonse Bonn of this city and George Matthews of Sandusky, were the guests last night at a pleasant dancing party given by the Misses Klein at the Debonair club, Wapakoneta.

The marriage of Miss Mary Heinger of north Main street, and Mr. Durbin Kerr, of south Main street, will occur at St. Rose parsonage next Wednesday evening.

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## MISS BULL RECOVERS

FEARFUL DECLINE OF STRENGTH COMPLETELY ARRESTED.

Medical Skill Had Almost Exhausted Itself in Vain Attempts to Save Her. A Remarkable Result.

The recovery of Miss Gertrude L. Bull from her long illness, the beginning of which dates back to the spring of 1900, has not only relieved wide-spread anxiety among her many friends who had long despaired of any improvement in her condition, but, owing to the remarkable obstinacy of the case, is of great interest to the medical world.

The attack of pneumonia, which seized her already weakened system in November of 1900 and threatened to carry her off, was successfully resisted, after it had confined her to bed for a month, but a bad cough followed it and lingered all through the following summer. It seemed impossible to break it up or to restore her strength which had been sadly undermined.

Allopathic and homeopathic doctors tried to help her but their best efforts could not check the steady decline of her vital energies. Then she used some advertised modes of treatment, but when she saw her condition daily grow more serious in spite of all that was done, she for a while discontinued all medicine and gave herself up to despair.

"What was your condition at this time?" she was asked.

"My stomach," said Miss Bull, "was so weak that I could not keep food down. I suffered from constant nausea. My kidneys were in terrible condition. My feet and ankles were swollen so badly that it pained me even to stand on them. I was very bilious. My heart was in bad shape so I could not go up and down stairs or stand any exertion, and I could not lie down in a natural attitude but I had to be propped up by pillows when I slept."

"It seems a wonder that you should ever have recovered. How did it happen?"

"You may well call it a 'miracle,'" continued Miss Bull, "but Dr. Williams' Pink Pills brought it. None of my friends thought I could live many months longer. My parents had no



# KILBOURNE IS CHOSEN

For Chairman of the Meeting at the  
Opening of the Campaign.

Hon. Chas. A. Towne, Hon. Henry Watterson and  
Ex-Governor James E. Campbell Named  
as Speakers of the Big Event.

Chairman Harvey C. Garber, of the democratic state committee, today notified chairman U. M. Shappell, of the Allen county executive committee, that the speakers now booked to address the democracy of Ohio at the opening of the democratic state campaign in this city next Saturday are Hon. Chas. A. Towne, of Minnesota; Hon. Henry Watterson, of Louisville, and ex-Governor James E. Campbell, of Ohio. All are speakers of ability, and are men of such national prominence as will aid the local and state committees greatly in making the big meeting a grand success. Invitations have already been sent to every county in the state, and responses are coming in daily announcing the coming of big delegations with special trains and bands.

## Kilbourne for Chairman.

Chairman Garber, of the state committee, received a telegram from John R. McLeod last night, announcing that it will be utterly impossible for him to be present at the meeting in this city next Saturday. The matter of the chairmanship of the Lima meeting was then placed before Colonel James Kilbourne, of Columbus, and he expressed himself as being pleased with the opportunity to preside over the state meeting. He will be accompanied to this city by members of the state committee, the democratic delegation of seventy-five members, and a big delegation of Franklin county democrats.

## Big Delegations Coming.

Putnam county will send a large delegation to the Lima meeting, headed by the Hon. A. P. Sandies, of Ottawa, democratic candidate for secretary of state. Hon. Harry Kinder, of Findlay, democratic nominee for judge of the circuit court, will bring another big delegation from Hancock county, accompanied by a band. The democrats of Deane county have arranged with Colonel Hobart for a special train to be run over the C. & L. M. railroad, and will bring a band and several hundred members of the party to the city on the day of the meeting.

Other delegations with bands are expected from Auglaize, Hardin, Shelby, Mercer, Darke, Van Wert, Williams and other northwestern Ohio counties. Allen county democracy is taking an active interest in the big meeting and delegations will come to the city from Bluffton, Beavertown, Delphos, Landock and Spencerville, with bands.

All of the meetings of the day will be held in the afternoon, and if the weather is favorable the principal meeting will be held in the open air, with a speakers stand erected on some portion of the Public Square.

Indoor meetings will be held at the auditorium and probably also in the opera house and armory.

## A Word From Ottawa.

On Saturday, October 1, the same day on which Taft, Foraker and Dick pay the bid of the Ohio republican campaign at Warren, the democrats will have their opening at Lima. From this date on the political pot in Ohio will be kept constantly boiling, and what the campaign has lacked in a long-drawn-out affair will be made up in the hustle and work that will be crowded into the next six weeks. The republicans of Ohio have a very sturdy administration to answer for, and are wholly on the defensive. The democratic opening at Lima will be an auspicious affair, and will undoubtedly be largely attended. Hon. A. P. Sandies, of this place, candidate for secretary of state, will be one of the speakers and the others will likely be vice presidential candidate Henry G. Davis, ex-Senator Chas. A. Towne, of New York, and General James B. Weaver, of Iowa.—Putnam County Sentinel.

## LESS FAVORABLE.

London, Sept. 24.—Lady Curzon, of Deception, who has been ill for several days, passed a restless night, and her condition this morning is less favorable.

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## BOWLING

Fans Are Again Active at  
Brunswick Alleys.

The cooler weather of the last few days has started the bowling fans to return to that popular sport at the Brunswick bowling alleys, at the rear of the central fire department station and some interesting contests and some very good scores have already been recorded there.

During the progress of the paving work in south Cherry alley, the entrance to the Brunswick alleys will be through the buffer of the Manhattan hotel, on west High street.

HEAR THE HON. CLARENCE A. BUSKIRK, OF PRINCETON, IND., ON THE SUBJECT OF CHRISTIAN SCIENCE, AT THE FAUROT OPERA HOUSE, SEPTEMBER 27.



Miss Agnes Miller, of  
Chicago, speaks to young women  
about dangers of the Menstrual  
Period.

"To Young Women:—I suffered for six years with dysmenorrhea (painful periods), so much so that I dreaded every month, as I knew it meant three or four days of intense pain. The doctor said this was due to an inflamed condition of the uterine appendages caused by repeated and neglected colds. 'If young girls only realized how dangerous it is to take cold at this critical time, much suffering would be spared them. Thank God for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which helped me any. Within three weeks after I started to take it, I noticed a marked improvement in my general health, and at the time of my next monthly period the pain had diminished considerably. I kept up the treatment, and was cured a month later. I am like another person since. I am in perfect health, my eyes are brighter, I have added 12 pounds to my weight, my color is good, and I feel light and happy.'—Miss Agnes Miller, 25 Potomac Ave., Chicago, Ill.—\$5000 refund if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

The monthly sickness reflects the condition of a woman's health. Anything unusual at that time should have prompt and proper attention.

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WE WISH TO AGAIN IMPRESS UPON ADVERTISERS THE NECESSITY OF GETTING COPY IN FOR THEIR ADVERTISING BY TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON TO INSURE ITS INSERTION THE SAME DAY.

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DON'T FAIL TO HEAR HON. CLARENCE A. BUSKIRK, EX-ATTORNEY GENERAL, AT FAUROT OPERA HOUSE, NEXT TUESDAY EVENING

TAKING  
Advantage of Don Cupid's Absence.

Something is wrong in Allen county, and it behooves Don Cupid to return from his vacation with a new supply of love poisoned darts. A marriage license was issued today which marks the first call for a legal document of that nature during the entire week.

The break in the bear market is due to H. B. Pike, 28 years of age, employed as a brakeman, who secured a license to wed Miss Belle Swartz, age 20. Both live in Lima.

## NOTICE I. O. F.

All companions of Court Tachna are requested to be present at our next regular meeting, September 28. Business of importance. By order of chief ranger,  
MAGGIE SHOOK.

# SUIT

Filed Against the  
L. E. & W.

By J. A. Ruble,

Administrator of the  
Estate

Of the Estate of Lucy A.  
Ruble, Deceased, in Auglaize County.

Engineer Hickok, of This City, Who  
Was in Charge of Engine That  
Struck Mrs. Ruble, Made  
a Party Defendant.

Suit was brought yesterday for \$10,000 damages against the Lake Erie and Western railroad company and Reuben Hickok by J. A. Ruble administrator of the estate of Lucy A. Ruble, deceased. On August 3rd of last year, while crossing the tracks of the railroad company, at the Ash street crossing in St. Marys, Lucy Ruble was struck by a west-bound passenger train and died in three weeks from the injuries received. The plaintiff claims that the railroad company not only violated the city ordinance by traveling at a rate of more than 30 miles an hour, but that they failed to give a signal or warning of their approach and if they did the noise and uproar caused by other trains on the side track at the time prevented them from being heard. The plaintiff also claims that the view of the tracks was so obstructed by buildings on the land of the defendant that travelers were unable to see the approach of trains. Reuben Hickok, the other defendant named, was the engineer of the train hence, by reason of the defendant's, the plaintiff asks for judgment for \$10,000, which includes medical services, nursing and funeral expenses. The suit has been filed in the common pleas court of Auglaize county, at Wapakoneta.

Fast Time on the Pennsy.  
Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 23.—A special chartered train on the Pennsylvania road has broken all previous records on that line between Philadelphia and Chicago, making the 282 miles in 17 hours and 57 minutes. The train left Philadelphia Thursday at 4:08 p. m., arriving in Pittsburg at 12:02 yesterday morning and at Chicago at 9:05 a. m.

The train was chartered by a Chicago business man, desirous of arriving in Chicago in the quickest possible time, to close a business transaction said to involve \$250,000.

FREE LECTURE ON CHRISTIAN SCIENCE AT FAUROT OPERA HOUSE, TUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 27, BY HON. CLARENCE A. BUSKIRK, OF PRINCETON, IND. BEGINS AT 8 O'CLOCK.

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## OIL CASE

Has New Receiver Named  
by U. S. Court.

A journal entry was recorded in the clerk's office today by Ridenour & Halfhill, which changes the situation in the case of the First National bank, of LaPorte, Ind., vs. The New York & Lima Oil Co. Charles E. Russell, was appointed receiver on application, but he has made his report and been discharged, while the case has been taken to the United States court, which has named Marshall S. Hagar receiver. Mr. Russell reported that he had in his hands from all sources the sum of \$500, and he was awarded \$250 for his services. The directors have turned over all the assets to the new receiver, and the case has been postponed for judgment upon the issues raised by the plaintiff and such cross petitions as were filed.

REMAINS  
Of Miss Cissna to Be Interred at Piqua.

The body of Miss Marion Cissna, who succumbed to typhoid fever while in Italy, arrived at Piqua yesterday, being accompanied from New York by Judge and Mrs. Price, the bereaved mother of the girl and Dr. Anna Goebel. Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Price, the latter a cousin of the deceased, went to Piqua to attend the funeral services to be held this afternoon.

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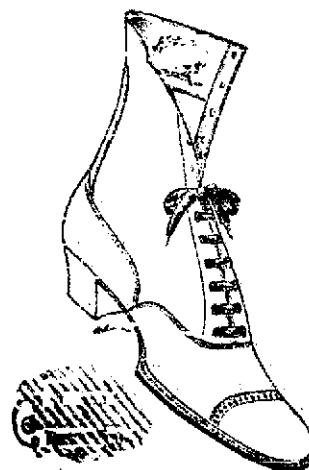
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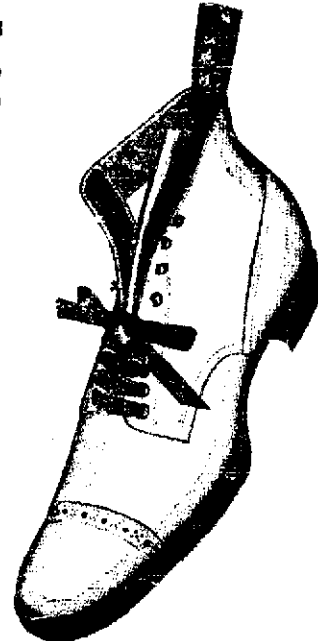


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